

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: William Welch, et al)	Confirmation No.: 2598
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Serial No.: 10/767,227)	Examiner: Hieu T. Hoang
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Filing Date: 01/28/2004)	Art Unit: 2152

For: SYSTEM FOR BANDWIDTH ALLOCATION IN A COMPUTER NETWORK

**Via EFS-Web
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

AMENDMENT AND REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed September 4, 2007, the shortened statutory period which runs until December 4, 2007 and for which a request for a one month extension of time to January 4, 2008 is hereby made along with the appropriate fee included herein. Please revise the subject application as indicated below.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.